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SUB: POLICE ARREST 95 FOLLOWING SCHOOL ARSON

REF: CAPE TOWN 0032

1. REACTING TO BURNINGS OF SCHOOLS IN LANGA AND NYANGA TOWNSHIPS NIGHT OF JANUARY 10 (REFTEL) RIOT POLICE CONDUCTED EARLY MORNING RAID IN LANGA TODAY (JANUARY 12) IN WHICH 95 PERSONS WERE TAKEN INTO CUSTODY. POLICE SAID SOME OF THOSE ARRESTED WERE BEING CHARGED WITH SETTING FIRE TO THE SCHOOLS WHILE OTHERS WERE ARRESTED FOR OTHER CRIMINAL OFFENSES. NO NAMES HAVE BEEN RELEASED TO DATE.

2. PRIMARY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE, WHICH REPORTEDLY DECLINED YESTERDAY FOLLOWING THE ARSON ATTACKS, WAS SAID TO HAVE IMPROVED TODAY, BUT NO FIGURES WERE AVAILABLE.

3 COMMENT: THERE CONTINUES TO BE REPORTS THAT GROWING NUMBERS OF SECONDARY SCHOOL STUDENTS SHOW SIGNS OF WANTING TO END BOYCOTT BUT NO POSITIVE ACTION TAKEN TO DATE. QUESTION NOW BEING ASKED IS WHETHER POLICE RAIDS WILL HAVE SO WEAKENED INFLUENCE OF MILITANTS THAT BOYCOTT WILL COLLAPSE
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OR WHETHER IT WILL HAVE OPPOSITE EFFECT OF STRENGTHENING STUDENT'S RESOLVE TO CONTINUE THEIR RESISTANCE.

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